

the support material in the roll to at least [temporarily] prevent [unintentional] unrolling of the roll during fabrication of the rolled food item.

(Please amend claim 2 according to the following claim 2 (twice amended):

2. (twice amended) The method of claim 1 wherein providing the strip comprises providing the strip of support material and food having an elongated length between the trailing and leading edges; and wherein spraying the deposit comprises spraying the deposit of a length [considerably] ~~substantially~~ shorter than the elongated length of the strip of support material and food.

Please amend claim 11 according to the following claim 11 (amended):

11. (amended) Apparatus for fabricating a rolled food item, comprising, in combination: means for providing a strip of support material and food, with the strip of support material and food having a trailing edge and a leading edge, with the food having a tackiness; means for rolling the strip of support material and food into a roll having a periphery and a center, with the support material located on the outside of the roll, with the trailing edge located on the periphery of the roll and with the leading edge located adjacent the center of the roll; means for spraying a deposit of a source of moisture at least on the food adjacent to the trailing edge prior to its rolling into the roll, with the source of moisture increasing the tackiness of the food sufficient for the food to be adherable to the support material in the roll to at least [temporarily] prevent [unintentional] unrolling of the roll during fabrication of the rolled food item.